

HER LONG SEARCH REWARDED

MRS. GREEN FINDS EVIDENCE OF HER HUSBAND'S DUPLICITY.

She Riffed His Pockets While He Slept—Found Another Woman's Ring—Merry Row—Kept It and Lost It—Green Arrested.

"It has always been my custom to search my husband's pockets after he has gone to sleep," declared Mrs. J. K. Green, a witness in Justice Krueger's court, yesterday, in a matter of fact way.

Mrs. Green lives at 201 East Ninth street. Green, who is an elevator man for the Jones Dry Goods Company, was being tried on a charge of embezzling a diamond ring from Miss Clara Fisher, a clerk in that company's store. The testimony in the case created considerable merriment and when Mrs. Green said it was her habit to search her husband's pockets while he slept he blushed a deep red. Miss Fisher, the complaining witness, came from Amsterdam, New York, and secured employment as a dry goods clerk. She was soon on friendly terms with Green, who was rather spruce and trim, and a voracious man. He became interested in her and one day while admiring a ring set with a circle of twenty diamonds, which she wore, he discovered that there were two defective jewels in the circle and said she did not know where to go to get the two diamonds replaced with two first-class jewels and get it reset.

Miss Fisher said she then observed the ring on his finger with this understanding.

When Green went home that night he placed the ring in his vest pocket in order to save any lengthy explanations which his wife might demand. After he had retired and gone to sleep his wife got up and in searching his pockets, as was her custom, discovered the diamond ring. She placed it in a safe place and then went back to bed. The next morning when Green came home he was surprised to find the ring on his finger. He was much surprised yesterday when the case came up for trial to learn that Green was a married man.

Although he testified that he had offered to have the ring reset "simply as a courtesy" to Miss Fisher, his face changed color many times and his wife and the prosecuting witness eyed each other suspiciously. When placed on the stand, Mrs. Green attempted to express her indignation toward the "pretty young man" giving the ring to her husband, but the court overruled it. The evidence was such as to show that Green had not intentionally embezzled the ring. The justice withheld his decision until to-day.

WILL GO TO TRIAL MONDAY.

John Kennedy, Leader of the Blue Cut Band of Train Robbers, Will Make a Hard Fight.

John F. Kennedy will be tried Monday in the criminal court for participation in the Blue cut train robbery. He was committed last December and was one of the boldest robbers committed in years in this vicinity, recalling the palmy days of the James gang. The panel of forty-seven jurors was secured yesterday and the case went over until Monday to allow the state and the defense to make their preliminary challenges.

Prosecutor Lowe is being assisted by T. B. Buckner, attorney for the Chicago & Alton Railway Company, on whose road the train was held up for the ring. The Blue cut band is awaiting trial for the robbery in connection with Kennedy, but when the evidence was granted the state elected to try Kennedy first.

Under the new law passed by the recent legislature the death penalty may be inflicted for train robbery, and the attorneys for Kennedy expect to prove by five witnesses that he was in Kansas City between 8 and 9 o'clock on the night of the robbery of the Alton train. The robbery occurred between 8 and 9 o'clock. It is said that they have a strong case against Kennedy, one of the men arrested for the crime in which he says that his confession implicating Kennedy was a tissue of falsehoods.

CHRISMAN'S SCHEME MAY FAIL.

The Attempt to Improve His Home at Public Expense to Be Resisted by Taxpayers.

To-day's session of the county court promises to be a lively one, as several delegations of county taxpayers will appear to demand the rescinding of the order for the macadamizing of the Lee's Summit road, which, as now proposed, will cost the taxpayers an additional \$10,000. Judge Chrisman's plan, the taxpayers are indignant that Judge Chrisman's plan should vote to defect the main road in order to improve Judge Chrisman's farm at the expense of the taxpayers. The taxpayers claim that steep grades on the main road will make the cost much greater than to defect it past the Chrisman farm, and the taxpayers have had the cost of the work estimated by one of the most prominent engineering firms in the city, which figures that to improve the Chrisman farm will cost \$8,000 more than to keep to the main road.

The taxpayers threaten to bring impeachment proceedings against Judge Chrisman for voting to benefit his property at the taxpayers' expense.

OBJECT LESSON IN ECONOMY.

Are the County Judges Trying to Save Enough Money to Build the Chrisman Road?

P. E. Hatch, agent for the Whitney building, yesterday received notice from Judge John B. Stone, of the county court, that the rooms occupied by Justice Case's court would be vacated the first of next month on account of the county being out of the rent of four large rooms there. Other rooms occupied by the eight other justices of the peace county, \$25 a month each, and under the retrenchment system the county court is of the opinion that the difference of \$5 a month paid for Justice Case's court rooms is rank extravagance.

CANNOT BE TAXED.

Exposition Building Was Leased for an Agricultural Fair and Is Not Subject to Assessment.

Judge Henry yesterday deprived the city of an annual revenue of between \$200 and \$500 by granting a perpetual injunction against the city restraining it from collecting any taxes on the exposition property. The injunction was made perpetual for the reason that the property is leased for the purpose of holding an agricultural fair, which, except from taxation under the state law, no fair has been held, however, for a number of years and the purpose for which the property is leased are not being fulfilled.

Rev. Gossett's Will Filed.

The will of Rev. Jacob D. Gossett was filed for probate at Independence yesterday. The will was made in March, 1887, and so codicils were made. With exceptions the will bequeathed his entire property to his wife in fee of dower. The property was appraised with his children and grandchildren, such as he saw fit to except in his bequest to his wife.

All Humors of the Blood

That pimple on your arm, those itching and burning hives, those numerous little eruptions, just as surely indicate impurities in the blood, which should have prompt and careful attention, as do boils, carbuncles, ulcers, salt rheum and the severest forms of scrofula.

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"For 15 years my wife was terribly afflicted with scrofula. Sores appeared on her limbs, and in places they were one solid scab. The outside skin was completely gone, and the surface was inflamed so it was purple. Her arms were also very bad and her eyes were affected. The skin was rough and would itch and burn whenever her blood was heated. Her head began to trouble her and her hair was completely matted over her scalp. We bought six bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla, and when she had taken about three bottles a large number of boils appeared. She continued taking it. Now her skin is smooth in the very places where it was once so rough, and this result has been brought about by Hood's Sarsaparilla." M. E. STEVENS, Charlotte Centre, New York.

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Eczema on Baby's Face

"Eruptions came on our baby's face, itching so that I had to tie her hands, for she would scratch herself until her clothes would be covered with blood. Many doctors said it was eczema, but did not help her. It was a terrible task to care for her. She was completely covered with scabs for a long time. She suffered everything. At last we concluded to try Hood's Sarsaparilla, because I had great faith in it. After while we could see that she was getting better. People said she would certainly be left with scars on her face, but she was not. It is now a year since she was cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla and her face is as smooth and white and soft as that of any child. I believe Hood's Sarsaparilla the best family medicine." MRS. WILBUR WELLS, Warren, Conn.

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A VICE CONSUL'S PLEA.

Mr. Burroughs Secures a Jail Sentence for John Wilson, a Bicycle Thief.

British Vice Consul Burroughs certainly looks after the interests of her majesty's subjects who meet with adversity in Kansas City. Yesterday he pleaded eloquently before Justice Krueger in the defense of John Wilson, an English sailor, who arrived in Kansas City two weeks ago from Galveston, Tex., where he has been honorably discharged from the service of the Harrison line of steamers. His money was soon exhausted, and, failing to secure work, he stole a bicycle from E. P. Pendleton, a bookkeeper for the Bank of Commerce, and attempted to pawn it. Wilson, who is only 19 years old, was arrested and a charge of grand larceny was placed against him.

When Wilson came to Kansas he turned over all his papers to Vice Consul Burroughs and went in search of work. As he had no money he was unable to find work, and he went to Pendleton and prevailed upon him to reduce the charge to a misdemeanor. When the case came on for trial yesterday Mr. Burroughs turned over to the justice all of Wilson's papers, which showed he had always borne a good reputation. He then presented his good of the case in glowing rhetoric, and on his promise to see that Wilson secured employment after his release, Justice Krueger let him off with twenty days in jail.

Jury Lists Should Be Purged.

The county counselor was yesterday asked by the county court for an opinion as to the expediency of purging the jury lists by taking out the names now in the wheel which, as now proposed, will cost the taxpayers an additional \$10,000.

A great deal of complaint has been made from time to time about the jury lists as they now stand. The county court needs a great deal of purging, but the court is not certain whether it has the power to take out the names now in the jury wheel and put in a revised list or whether to wait until the wheel has been exhausted.

Dr. Wood's Wife Gets a Divorce.

Judge Gates yesterday granted Marie E. Wood a divorce from Dr. Robert L. Wood on the grounds of incompatibility of temperament. Mrs. Wood alleged that her husband committed adultery and was unbearable by reason of his violent temper.

Mollie Smith was divorced from Alfred Smith yesterday by Judge Jeter. The divorce was granted on the ground of desertion.

Judge Scarratt granted Mary Jeter a divorce from John J. Jeter by default.

A Burglar Given Five Years.

In the criminal court yesterday Gabe Harris was given five years in the penitentiary for burglary and grand larceny. The case against Harris, Adams, charged with assault on a child and grand larceny, charged with felonious assault. The following were arraigned: Charles H. Stevens, obtaining goods by false pretenses, set May 2; Eugene Axom, grand larceny, set May 2.

Will Be Warm for Ten Days.

Justice Case yesterday sentenced John Priddy to ten days in jail for stealing a bicycle.

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Jimmie McConnell, who was office boy for Captain W. C. McCarty at the Midland ticket broker's office for a long time, has recently developed as quite an expert trick rider on a wheel, and, with his companion, Charlie Johnson, has been attracting much attention in the city of late by the feats they perform on their wheels. They ride almost every evening in front of the Midland or Coates House, and have won plaudits from all who have seen them.

The boys are 16 years of age, and have been riding for two years. They made their debut in the city of late, and since that time have been devoting much time to it and have developed a degree of proficiency that has surprised all who have seen their feats.

They ride on one wheel, jump their wheels over each other, ride on one pedal and change while going rapidly, balance on the wheels and stand on the seat, stand on the front wheel with one foot, and pose in twenty different positions without the slightest trouble.

They have never had any training for trick riding, and have developed their own ability in that line. They do their work with a dash, grace and fearlessness that win great applause from all who witness their risky exploits. They form an interesting combination when giving their street exhibitions, and are both ambitious to perfection in their art. They are now a team and do fancy work at the road made in the West. A few days since an ambitious looking fellow, who smokes cigarettes, made pictures of them in each of their positions, and they are exceedingly proud of the set of pictures, and yesterday were showing them to their friends in the city.

They are now making a business of it, and are employed with their parents in running a grocery store on Independence avenue. When not in school, both of the boys expect to turn their talents to their financial gain, and they are being encouraged to do so by their friends.

CUTTING TEETH AT 55 YEARS.

Daniel Connors, a Memphis Road Conductor, Possesses a New Molar.

Daniel Connors, who has been employed on the Memphis road for many years as a passenger conductor, is 55 years of age. He has just cut a new double tooth in his lower jaw, and has lost his lower molar that was extracted many years since. The cutting of the tooth has caused him a great deal of trouble, and he has had his jaw examined by several dentists in the city. They were all at a loss to locate the tooth, and he was not expecting a new tooth to make its appearance, but it did last week and has now grown so far above the gum as to be plainly seen. The dentists who have examined it say it is a perfect tooth. They show great vitality and power for a man of his years.

A CHANCE FOR WEB WITHERS.

He Is Offered a Large and Commanding Merry-Go-Round, With Red Horses, Bird Champ.

Some friend of Internal Revenue Collector Webster Wither's yesterday operated a neat joke on him by sending him a postal card advertising in red letters the sale of merry-go-rounds, with painted sailing horses. The card asked in big, bold type if he could use one and assured him there was plenty of money in it. Across the printed matter there was written with a typewriter this message:

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Deaths Reported.

Richter, Franklin Christian; 215 Grove street; April 12; 1 year; pneumonia following measles; Union.

Strand, George; 48 Harrison; April 13; 71 years; pneumonia; Union.

Slaughter, Vernon O.; 107 Garfield; April 12; 12 years; pulmonary tuberculosis; Elmwood.

Hennrich, Mrs. Julia; 440 Harris avenue; April 14; 38 years; shock from operation; Proia, Kas.

Isken, George; 10; near Raytown; April 14; 32 years; marasmus; Elmwood.

Helmrich, Guy; Rosedale; April 14; 1 year; pneumonia; Union.

Odham, William D.; southwest corner Sixth and Tracy; April 14; 64 years; aortic insufficiency; Clay county, Mo.

Births Reported.

Titus, Thomas and Elbert; 1913 Grove; April 9; girl.

Munson, Henry and Molly; 1533 Driggs; April 12; girl.

Reynolds, George and Sarah; 534 Thompson; April 15; girl.

Landrith, Charles W. and Eveline; 3118 Oak; April 15; boy.

Grove, H. C. and Ida M.; 581 East Seventh; April 15; boy.

Granville, V. and F.; 406 East Sixth; April 16; girl.

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Saving Money.

An Irishman bought a return ticket to St. Louis and didn't come back. What did he save? A German saved enough money to go to Germany, and then bought a schooner and didn't go. What did he save? An Italian bought an 8 day clock with the second hand gone. It gained 55 minutes every hour; how long did it take to let a whole Dago? A Frenchman bought a bicycle on time at half price and never paid the first installment. The dealer didn't have to keep it in repair. Who made the most; Frenchy or the wheelman? These problems are easy to figure out, compared to "who is really going to clothe that boy best." One guess is all you've got, and if you'll guess Nebraska we'll do the rest. One hundred new suits yesterday and another 100 at 11 a. m. to-day by express. Elegant fine all wool plaid cassimere suits at \$2.25, the best value in town, for boys of 15 years down to children of 4.

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